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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—Madame Walswright.

OLYMPIQUE—"Shanandoah."

THE HAGAN—Maggie Mitchell.

POPE'S—"Our Irish Visitors."

HAVLINS—"Heilly and Woods."

STANDARD—CHUB Club, Vaudeville & Burlesque Co.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR TWENTY-FOUR hours, beginning at 8 a.m. to-day, for Missouri.

Wednesday morning, followed by increasing cloudiness; warmer today; slightly colder on Tuesday; winds shifting to westerly.

A deep through-humid barometric depression extends from the Great Lakes north of Illinois; high pressure winds and moderate pressure from Kansas eastward to the Alleghenies; while lower temperatures are reported from west of the Rocky Mountains.

Light rain is reported from the Rocky Mountains; from Western Nebraska and Colorado.

Cloudy weather extends over South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin; elsewhere the conditions are fair.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR FORTY-EIGHT hours ending 8 p.m., Dec. 29; Fair-days; increasing cloudiness to-night and probable showers Tuesday, or Saturday night; warmer to-night; high southerly winds to-day and to-night; changing to-worrow; to-morrow, with decidedly lower temperature.

THE AMERICAN people, out of their over-flowing abundance, can send relief to the starving poor of both Mexico and Russia and never feel it.

DINING and wining are pleasanter than shooting and stabbing and the effects are not quite so bad. We commend Mr. BLAINE and Senator MONTGOMERY on their choice.

We do not doubt that if the Governor wants it Col. BROADHEAD can give him an opinion on the other side of the extra session question at least "equally as good" as the first.

THOSE rumors of war with Chile, followed by a report of a promised apology and peace, were very Blaine-like. The situation affords a fine example of spectacu-

larity.

JOHN PARNELL's failure to restore his portion of money to Irish politics is not surprising.

I left him. His project was contrary to nature. All such fights are fights "to a finish." One or the other party must be licked before there can be peace.

The SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH accepts advertising on a distinct and unequivocal guarantee that its circulation in the City of St. Louis and suburbs is more than double that of the "Republican" and larger than any other Sunday newspaper.

THE WORLD says that Mr. BLAINE has broken away from his old associates and has determined to carve out a new career for himself as an honest man. If Mr. BLAINE can make an honest man of himself he is the greatest man of this or any other century.

THE report that Mayor NOONAN has appointed TOM WAND Charity Commissioner to fill the vacancy created by the death of Commissioner CULLIGAN is denied, but it existence prompts the advice to His Honor that in filling this office it would be well to select some one who is not confirmed in the belief that charity begins at home.

IF Gov. HUMPHREY of Kansas selects a successor to Senator PLUMB with considerations regard to the properties he will name a low-tariff, anti-monopoly, free silver man, or, in other words, a man who is as little of a Republican as possible. If he fails to do this Kansas will be in danger of another political cyclone similar to that which swept INGALLS out of the Senate.

HOW ANSUO is it to object to the practice of initiating members of a secret society at Harvard by branding them with lighted cigars! Young American savages have always been admitted to the honors of the braves through the burning or tearing of the flesh and other tortures, and the scars are exhibited with pride as marks of honor. Why deprive the collegians of this cherished custom of their kind?

COL. JONAH's organ is now charging that Speaker CRISP is in a conspiracy to suppress the Raun investigation, or at least to shield and whitewash the Pension Commissioner should an investigation of where he can do the most good.

his office made. In his view there is apparently no limit to the rascality of the Democratic majority in Congress since it failed to acknowledge his dictatorship, and a Republican majority would be a Godsend.

#### EXTRA SESSION DANGERS.

Many years ago a Missouri Democratic editor said that JAMES O. BROADHEAD was doubtless an able statesman and a profound lawyer, but it was his misfortune "to receive his thoughts by mail the day after," and it is probable that this legal adviser of Gov. FRANCIS will find some time next summer that the real scope of the opinion desired was not as to redistricting the State, but how to restrict the Legislature when called together to that subject alone.

The whole question of redistricting the State is settled by the one fact which every one admits, that the right of the Governor to call the Legislature in special session is unquestioned and unquestionable, as is the right and power of the Legislature when so convened, to redistrict the State. Equally unquestioned is the Governor's power to restrict, by the terms of his call, the Legislature to that one subject.

But does he dare do that? With the Legislature in session, the Jefferson Bar-tracks question will be a burning issue. The people will not tamely submit to inaction that will deprive them of the establishment of a large military post. Yet if the doors are opened for a measure which while of interest and moment to the whole State is yet more particularly a St. Louis measure, how can he hold back masters of interest to St. Joseph, Kansas City or other parts of the State? And if local interests are to be subserved, how can he refuse to serve the general interest by allowing proper legislation to perfect railroad laws? And above all things how shall he satisfy the doctors?

Last winter the Governor lobbied against and defeated the bill presented by physicians known as the three-year-men. Since the Legislature adjourned the Governor has found that family physicians, especially the country doctors, have a masterful influence, and he has been down on his knees apologizing and promising to aid in enacting a law that shall require students of medicine to be educated before they are licensed. How then can the Governor avoid mentioning this matter in his message to the General Assembly, and then have the General Assembly giving to the General Assembly as wide a sweep as in a regular session.

Just here is the rub. What must not the General Assembly do? It was with difficulty an investigation of the Noland defalcation was prevented last year, but as in the Legislature there were many aspirants for State offices, they were adroitly led from the point of promise of future promotion. The face of affairs is changed now. Jefferson City is an armed camp, jealously watching in all directions against assaults and seeing in every member of the Legislature an enemy. The Attorney-General, the Auditor, the Treasurer, the Secretary of State and all their subordinates are armed cap-a-pie and are fighting for re-election. Should the Legislature meet, what awkward queries might be asked? How could Mr. Treasurer STEPHENSON explain how his chief clerk gave receipts to individuals for money paid on the Noland defalcations, and yet his books show no such receipts? What would Auditor SEIBERT say of the defalcation? How would Attorney-General WOOD answer when called upon to explain why he had not prosecuted the banks which failed to make reports to the Governor and thus obtained the public school fund a large sum of money?

Perhaps when the mail comes in with Mr. BROADHEAD's thoughts he will find he has been retained to defend the State Administration in the next Democratic Convention and possibly before the courts.

WE induce the hope that Maj. JOHN B. O'MEARA will not insist upon the severest punishment being inflicted upon Company H, N. G. M., for failing to report for inspection. The company is guilty of a high crime under military law, but, then, the members are just learning to be soldiers, and it is a long, wearisome trip from Cordele to the Armory. Besides, the Government had to supply them with means of transportation. The loss of these gallant fellows would be most severe to local society. Let them be given some heavy sentence, such as deprivation of rations for a month or prohibition to wear their uniforms for a year, but let them live, Major, let them live.

#### STILL UNRAVELED.

The mystery surrounding the shooting of Steve Rayne on Friday is still as deep as ever and unless the injured man consents to talk about it, it will be impossible to find out who shot him.

The police are still at work on the case and still in the dark. It was said that a driver named Smith, who delivers beer for the brewery on Clark street, saw the men who were with the man who did the shooting and also saw the assailant and his reasons for making the attack. The driver, however, did not make and developed the fact that no brewer was at the saloon when the trouble occurred. The man who was at the brewery placing the order at the time of the shooting was the bartender.

Rayne was seen at the City Hospital, but his head was bandaged up and he could not talk. Every time a question was put to him he groaned and shut his eyes.

On Saturday Dr. Dan Hobson, surgeon, examined the patient and found that he was in a critical condition, but who was the woman at the bottom of the case, but who she is and where she is to be found cannot be

The detectives have the description of two men who are supposed to have been near by the time the shooting took place.

The man who did the deed was described as being especially interested in getting anything out of him. The other man, the woman, the man who was with her, the children and all too young to attend to what they would do together. Their deaths occur within forty-eight hours of each other.

A Small Blaze.

About 1 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a vacant room on the second floor of Main street. Officer Hobson saw the flames in time to turn out a siren and save the building. The damage is but \$10.

Mr. JOHN M. WHITE is connected with the advertising department of the POST-DISPATCH with the special object of writing up the business interests of St. Louis and vicinity.

SPEAKER CRISP could not have given better assurance to the country that the Fifty-second will not be a billion-dollar Congress than by appointing HOLMAN of the Head of the Appropriations Committee. He has put the watch-dog of the Treasury where he can do the most good.

#### MINISTERS CHOSEN.

#### Preparation Being Made for the Week of Prayer.

#### THE EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE SELECTS THE CLERGYMEN TO OFFICIATE.

The Y. P. S. C. E. and Epworth League to Participate—A Deficit in Chaplain Hargrave's Salary—The Celebration at Second and Christian Church—The Topics for the Week—Religious News.

The Evangelical Alliance met this morning in Bowman Hall to outline a plan of observation for the week of prayer. Dr. Macdonald presided and Dr. John H. Hargrave, president of the Evangelical Alliance, gave the opening address.

Dr. Nicols, who was to have outlined the plan, was unable to attend the meeting of the board owing to sickness. The board reported back to the alliance the appointment of Drs. Hargrave, Brank and Carrington as a committee to group the city churches and have their pastor appoint leaders for the different services. They made the following selections, which were approved by the assembly:

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THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Dutch and Deutsch.

Reading of the conduct of Anderson, alias Hansen, who you called him therein Dutch, but you give it a name as Deutsch (German).

To call Herr Anderson in the Holländische Gaule—It is My Heir Anderson. If we speak against him it is our Hear or more fashionably and in a tangled mass of long hair and matted beard, he is not the charge of a swindler, swindler, burglar, bigamy and the like—under that one word schema. Most people have heard of the story of the lady's petticoat.

The new services at Pilgrim Congregational Church, and union service will begin at 10 o'clock in the afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock at the same place. Dr. Hargrave, Carrington and Brank will be appointed leaders for the different services. They made the following selections, which were approved by the assembly:

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THE CHURCHES.

Welsor Would Have Succeeded in Passing Guard Connors!

#### NOT HIS EAGLE EYE.

#### SHREVE MAY SHOOT.

The Mysterious Woman Who Claims to Be Mrs. Anderson, No. 2, is Desperate.

The police are looking for the mysterious woman who claims to be one of the wives of John A. Anderson, alias Carlson, who cut so wide a swath in the afflictions of middle-aged widows hereabout, and finally eloped with Mrs. Ellen Purcell, of enormous proportions and mature years, and married her and taking care of her mother when she arrived in Cleveland. She refused to give her name to anyone, but presumed the woman was Mrs. Carlson, and the police are trying to find out who she is.

It is believed that she went to Cleveland to get a divorce, and that she is now in Albany, N. Y. Her husband, John A. Anderson, is a blacksmith who unwittingly advanced Anderson \$90 to get him out of debt at Mrs. Carlson's house.

Anderson is not clear through and left word on returning to Cleveland that he would pay for Carlisle's release.

If Anderson is really married Mrs. Carlson and her son got a warrant against him, and, after regarding him awhile with his eagle eye, accused him and was about to shoot him, he fled into a room, and the next morning he was found dead in his bed.

Connors, who was shot in the eye, was taken to the hospital and was soon released.

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## STATE JUDICIARY.

The Tenth Annual Meeting Held in St. Louis To-Day.

JUDGE ROMBAUER MAKES SOME CRITICISMS ON THE LEGISLATURE.

The Recommendations of the Judges on Certain Defective Laws Are Disregarded by the Assembly—Why They Should Be Given Attention—News From the Circuit Court.

The tenth annual conference of the State Judiciary opened in the Court of Appeals today. Judge Thomas, the Supreme Court president, and Judge Barclay, also of the Supreme Court, acted as secretary. The other judges who were present were Judge R. E. Rombauer of the St. Louis Court of Appeals; Judge Ellison of the Kansas City Court of Appeals; Circuit Judge Edwards of St. Charles; Judges Gibson and Edwards of St. Louis; and Judges Withrow, Fisher, Klein and Dillon of St. Louis. Judges Remond and Biggs of the St. Louis Court of Appeals are out of town, as is also Judge Vaillant.

After the usual preliminary opening proceedings the convention proceeded to business.

Judge H. E. Rombauer, presiding Judge of the Court of Appeals, read a paper on the scope and aim of the judicial conference. Judge Rombauer's paper comprised ten pages of typed matter, and referred to the law of 1879, the provisions of which made it duty of each of the judges of the Supreme Court, the Circuit Courts of Appeals and the Circuit Courts to make note of and within the first five days of every regular session of the General Assembly to report to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House on the uncertainties and incongruities in the statutory laws of the State as might come under the judicial observation which could be remedied by legislation. The law which provided for it should be the duty of the presiding officer of either Senate or House to whom such report may be made to take action before their respective houses.

Judge Rombauer stated the law had been productive of many difficulties. "The law is in force now for over ten years," says the Judge in his paper, "and its benefits are not yet realized." He has taken pains to go through the journals of both houses at each regular session to find cases after the adoption of the legislation, with the following result: Jan. 11, 1881, the President of the Senate communicated a communication from the Presiding Judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals calling the attention of the Senate to the fact that the law had been referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Feb. 21, 1888, the same officer laid before the Committee a communication from Judge Thomas, Chairman of the Judicial Conference, which was also referred to the Committee. The communication was laid before the House by the Speaker at the adjournment and the same adjourned was placed in the hands of the Sheriff, with the above result.

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**RECOMMENDATION OF WORKERS.**

In 1881 the President laid before the House a communication from Judge Thomas on the same subject and a similar reference was had. In 1888 the same officer laid before the Committee a communication from Judge Thomas, chairman, suggesting not less than two years' imprisonment for the criminal registration of undesirable. Five hundred copies of the communication were ordered to be printed and sent to the Committee on Judiciary. The communication from the same source was also laid before the House by the Speaker at the adjournment and the same adjourned was made of it.

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**STILL MISSING.**

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.—No tidings have as yet been received of Dora Von Schack and Alice Parker, the young girls who disappeared from here Monday night. A. F. Parker, the father of Alice, has started the girls here and has been looking for them ever since. Mrs. Van Schock has had no news of the girls, and young men interested in having sent the girls a letter under arrest and will prosecute them if she is found.

**Electrical Society to Incorporate.**

An application for a corporate charter of incorporation was filed in Judge Fisher's court to-day by the St. Louis Electric Exchange. The objects of the Association are to promote the advancement of art and science and the discoveries therein and to encourage inventions and improvements pertaining to electrical appliances; to foster an interest among the members of the organization in electrical work; and to unite externally the members of organizations to end that their combined efforts may be directed to the purpose of public usefulness in relation to the use of electricity in all forms. A. C. Wolfram is President of the society; L. V. Scudder, Secretary, and John Middsworth, Treasurer.

**Ladies Become Citizens.**

Three ladies took out naturalization papers in Judge Fisher's court to-day. They were Mrs. Charlotte A. Lynch, wife of George N. Middsworth, and Mrs. Elizabeth A. Lynch, wife of John Middsworth.

**DEATHS.**

MONROE—On Monday, Dec. 26, at 12:30 p.m., M. CATHERINE MONROE, relate to the late Anna Maria and her deceased mother and grandmother, aged 59 years and 9 months. Funeral will take place Wednesday, Dec. 26, at 1 p.m., from her late residence, 2646 Bernard street. Friends of the family invited to attend.

**PILLS—CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.**

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## MORE TESTIMONY.

Witnesses Called by the School Board Investigating Committee.

DEVELOPMENTS OF INTEREST ANTICIPATED AT TO-NIGHT'S MEETING.

President Bartholdi to Give the Name of the Man Who Tried to Intimidate Him

—Why Mansfield Was Not Summoned for This Evening—Committee Reaching Out for Further Facts.

The School Board Investigating Committee will have another session to-night in the Polk Street Room, and will then throw out its doors, set up a banner information in connection with the sale, or as some consider it, the gift of the valuable property on the southwest corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets.

The witness summoned for this evening is ex-Directors Koenig, Loyer, Richard, Barstow, Knight, Bosley and O'Connor, and Directors Sheehan and O'Donnell. It was the intention of the committee to summon Jury Commissioner Fielding Mansfield, but it was decided after consideration to take his testimony at a later meeting. The committee evidently decided on this course in view of President Bartholdi's declaration that he would not execute session, giving the name of the man who attempted to intimidate him with the object of discouraging the investigation. President Bartholdi has all along declined to affirm or deny that Mansfield was the intimidator. Nobody familiar with the circumstances doubts, however, that Mansfield was the man who conducted the movement to intimidate the fair and upright up to "Chairman Hattig out of town." Mansfield has admitted that he had the conversation with President Bartholdi and talked with him on the subject.

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CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 26.—No tidings have as yet been received of Dora Von Schack and Alice Parker, the young girls who disappeared from here Monday night. A. F. Parker, the father of Alice, has started the girls here and has been looking for them ever since. Mrs. Van Schock has had no news of the girls, and young men interested in having sent the girls a letter under arrest and will prosecute them if she is found.

**Electrical Society to Incorporate.**

An application for a corporate charter of incorporation was filed in Judge Fisher's court to-day by the St. Louis Electric Exchange. The objects of the Association are to promote the advancement of art and science and the discoveries therein and to encourage inventions and improvements pertaining to electrical appliances; to foster an interest among the members of the organization in electrical work; and to unite externally the members of organizations to end that their combined efforts may be directed to the purpose of public usefulness in relation to the use of electricity in all forms. A. C. Wolfram is President of the society; L. V. Scudder, Secretary, and John Middsworth, Treasurer.

**Ladies Become Citizens.**

Three ladies took out naturalization papers in Judge Fisher's court to-day. They were Mrs. Charlotte A. Lynch, wife of George N. Middsworth, and Mrs. Elizabeth A. Lynch, wife of John Middsworth.

**DEATHS.**

MONROE—On Monday, Dec. 26, at 12:30 p.m., M. CATHERINE MONROE, relate to the late Anna Maria and her deceased mother and grandmother, aged 59 years and 9 months. Funeral will take place Wednesday, Dec. 26, at 1 p.m., from her late residence, 2646 Bernard street. Friends of the family invited to attend.

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	To-day.	Thursday.	Year ago.
<b>WHEAT.</b>			
No. 2	\$16.00	\$16.25	\$16.00
No. 3	17.00	17.25	17.00
No. 4	17.50	17.75	17.50
No. 5	18.00	18.25	18.00
No. 6	18.50	18.75	18.50
No. 7	19.00	19.25	19.00
No. 8	19.50	19.75	19.50
No. 9	20.00	20.25	20.00
No. 10	20.50	20.75	20.50
No. 11	21.00	21.25	21.00
No. 12	21.50	21.75	21.50
No. 13	22.00	22.25	22.00
No. 14	22.50	22.75	22.50
No. 15	23.00	23.25	23.00
No. 16	23.50	23.75	23.50
No. 17	24.00	24.25	24.00
No. 18	24.50	24.75	24.50
No. 19	25.00	25.25	25.00
No. 20	25.50	25.75	25.50
No. 21	26.00	26.25	26.00
No. 22	26.50	26.75	26.50
No. 23	27.00	27.25	27.00
No. 24	27.50	27.75	27.50
No. 25	28.00	28.25	28.00
No. 26	28.50	28.75	28.50
No. 27	29.00	29.25	29.00
No. 28	29.50	29.75	29.50
No. 29	30.00	30.25	30.00
No. 30	30.50	30.75	30.50
No. 31	31.00	31.25	31.00
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No. 64	47.50	47.75	47.50
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No. 120	75.50	75.75	75.50
No. 121	76.00	76.25	76.00
No. 122	76.50	76.75	76.50
No. 123	77.00	77.25	77.00
No. 124	77.50	77.75	77.50
No. 125	78.00	78.25	78.00
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**COTTON BURNED.**

A spark from a passing locomotive set fire yesterday to a number of cotton bales belonging to the Taylor Commission Co. standing on a board platform on the Levee, between Rutgers and Convent streets. The cotton, which is worth \$40 a bale, has been accumulating until yesterday there were more than 1,000 bales on the platform. There were two watchmen looking after it and no danger from fire was anticipated. About 8 o'clock yesterday morning, however, a fire started, covered a slight blaze in the northeast corner of the platform and at once turned into a large fire. The flames spread rapidly and flames all over the pile. The upper and outer bales were destroyed and those in the center were partially damaged. The secretary of the company estimates the damage at \$60,000, fully covered by insurance.

**WABASH NEW YEAR RATES.**

Prominent Points to Which the Wabash Route Will Make Reduced Rates.

On Dec. 8, 1891, and Jan. 1, 1892, the Wabash Railroad will sell round-trip tickets at greatly reduced rates from St. Louis to Chicago, Detroit, Toledo, Buffalo and intermediate stations; Kansas City, St. Joseph, Chillicothe, Kirksville and intermediate stations.

Tickets good returning up to and including Jan. 4, 1892.

For tickets, sleeping-car berths, etc., apply at the Wabash Ticket Office, St. Louis, southeast corner of Broadway and Olive streets, and Union Depot.

**Mot With An Accident.**

Miss Louise Schurz, 26 years of age, made an attempt to run away from home yesterday which resulted very disastrously. She had a quarrel with her parents Saturday and left the house, spending the night at a friend's. On Sunday morning, about noon, she went to the Missouri Pacific yards in Carondelet and attempted to board a train. Her right hand was so badly mangled that her left hand was caught between the bumpers of the car and badly mangled. She was taken to her home by the train crew.

**Christened With Assaults to Kill.**

White, a negro residing at 1120 North Eighth street, was arrested yesterday charged with assault to kill. White was assaulted about two weeks ago by an unknown assailant and his suspicions rested on Ed Cook, a negro residing in the house with him. White, recovering from his injuries, knocked a bottle filled with coal-oil and broke it over Cook's head, inflicting several scalp wounds. Cook was rendered unconscious and yesterday in a very precarious condition.

**Special Department for Ladies**

At the Chemical National Bank, with lady in attendance. Interest paid on time deposits. You are invited to call.

**Street Car Collision.**

About 7:45 o'clock last night Union Street Car Line No. 19 was run into by Mound City electric line No. 120 on the crossroads at 20th and Locust streets. The motor struck the rear end of the bob-tail, knocking it from the track and throwing the passengers in a heap. Wm. Branch of 1001 O'Fallon street, who was riding in the bob-tail, was found to have sustained a compound fracture of the left elbow. The other passengers escaped unharmed.

**Commandable.**

All claims not consistent with the high character of syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the Cal. Fig Syrup Company. It acts mostly on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing and purifying them, but it is not a cure-all and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substan-

tiate.

Bishop Loughlin III.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Bishop Loughlin is lying in a semi-comatose condition in the Episcopal residence of this city. It was feared yesterday that he would not live through the day. The Bishop is not afflicted with any disease, and his illness is accounted for solely on the ground of overwork. He was first stricken with a severe attack of rheumatism and was thought to be on the road to recovery when he had a relapse, and has since been low.

CLEAN Forked Coal.

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Fire on the Manchester Road.

Fire broke out last night in the two-story frame house, 678 Manchester road, owned by Margaret Depew and occupied by Henry H. Miller. Before the fire had arrived the building and contents were all lost, and the damage to personality was \$60 and the building \$1,000, fully covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.—"Best and Goe's Part."

About a Woman.

Louis Scheffer and Louis Levee got involved in a quarrel about 11 o'clock last night on Ninth and Clinton streets. A girl was the cause of the trouble. During the scuffle Scheffer, who was wearing a coat, drew a knife and plunged it into Scheffer's left breast, inflicting a very painful wound. Levee escaped.

WHEN the mucous surfaces of the bronchia are sore and inflamed, Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant will afford prompt relief. For breaking up a cold or subduing a cough, you will find in it a certain remedy.

MILITIA at a Funeral.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Cornelius Vanderbilt, Gaussey, M. Depew, H. Walter Webb, General Supt. Vassar and other New York celebrities came yesterday to the funeral services over the remains of the victim of the Hastings accident on Christmas eve which were held in that city yesterday.

THANKS to the introduction of Salivation Oil our young bicyclists need not fear a fall. Mc.

Tides Will Case.

WERS PLANT, N. Y., Dec. 28.—An argument was heard this morning in the matter of compelling the executors of the Tides to render an accounting. The surrogates took the papers and adjourned the case for one week without giving a decision.

CLAIRETTE SOUP.

"All St. Louis Grocers Keep It."

## Seasonable Clothing!

Our Great Sale still goes on, and its continued success demonstrates that there must be "merit in our merchandise."

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#### Men's Suits.

\$25, \$22.50, \$20, \$18.50 and \$15 Suits for . . . . .	\$9.85
\$12.50 and \$15.00 Suits for . . . . .	\$5.95
\$8.50 and \$7.50 Suits for . . . . .	\$3.45

#### Men's Overcoats.

\$20, \$18.50, \$16.50 and \$15 Overcoats go for . . . . .	\$9.85
\$12.50 Melton Overcoats go for . . . . .	\$4.95
\$10 All-Wool Overcoats go for . . . . .	\$3.95

#### Children's Overcoats.

24 to 11. \$3.50, \$2.50 and \$2 Over- coats go for . . . . .	\$1.05
\$7.50, \$6.50 and \$5.00 Overcoats go for . . . . .	\$3.45

#### Knee Pants.

50-cent Pants for . . . . .	.19c
\$2.00 Pants for . . . . .	\$1.00

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\$3 Pants for . . . . .	\$1.50
\$7.50 and \$6.50 Pants go for . . . . .	\$3.45

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## Gold Dollars for 75c!

We bought them for 60 cents and share the proceeds with you. This is what we are actually offering: Our splendid line of

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And know how to interest you. Having secured these Fine Shoes at

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Of 25 PER CENT and not lose a cent.

## J. H. CLEMENTS, 217 NORTH BROADWAY.

#### CHICAGO BANK CLERK MISSING.

Mr. Father, J. H. McNabb, Searching for him in St. Louis.

J. H. McNabb, a watchman in the Union National Bank of Chicago, was yesterday in this city looking for his son, Charles William McNabb, 20 years of age, who disappeared mysteriously last Monday. Young McNabb, who is also an employee of the bank, left work at the usual hour last Monday, and though the best detective service in Chicago was employed not the slightest trace of the boy was discovered. After a month's search the father received a telegram from him in Illinois, asking for money to pay his way home. Another telegram came shortly after from the boy telling his father to come to him at night. Mr. McNabb came on home in the hope of meeting his boy but was disappointed. The boy had gone to Chicago & Alton train. Mr. McNabb says his son is very steady, and he can only account for his disappearance by the fact that he had close application to work and study which probably unbalanced his mind. A strange disappearance is that six years ago a son of Charles Hippo of the same bank, of the same name, disappeared, and not one trace of him has ever been found.

FOR Abuse of Alcohol

Use Horseradish Acid Phosphate.

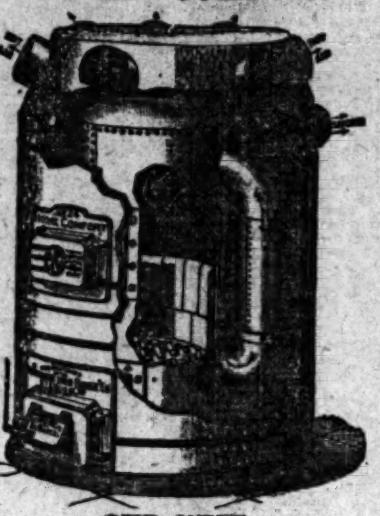
Dr. W. E. Crane, Mitchell, Ind., says: "It has almost proved a specific for this disease. It checks the vomiting, restores the appetite, and at the same time allays the fear of impending dissolution that is so common to the fevers."

A Syrian Wedding.

The Proof of the Padding

is not in hearing about, but in tasting it. So is the proof of an advertisement in the *SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH* can only be determined by trying it.

## "HOME COMFORT"



## Here's a Flyer

### How Does This Catch You?

A \$20 Merchant Tailor-Made Overcoat for \$7.50  
A \$25 Merchant Tailor-Made Overcoat for 9.50  
A \$30 Merchant Tailor-Made Overcoat for 11.50  
A \$35 Merchant Tailor-Made Overcoat for 12.50  
A \$40 Merchant Tailor-Made Overcoat for 13.50

AND LOOK AT OUR SUIT PRICES.

A \$25 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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A \$95 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$100 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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A \$110 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$115 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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A \$140 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$145 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$150 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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A \$160 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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A \$175 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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A \$185 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$190 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$195 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$200 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$205 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$210 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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A \$235 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

A \$240 Merchant Tailor-Made Suit for . . . . .

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